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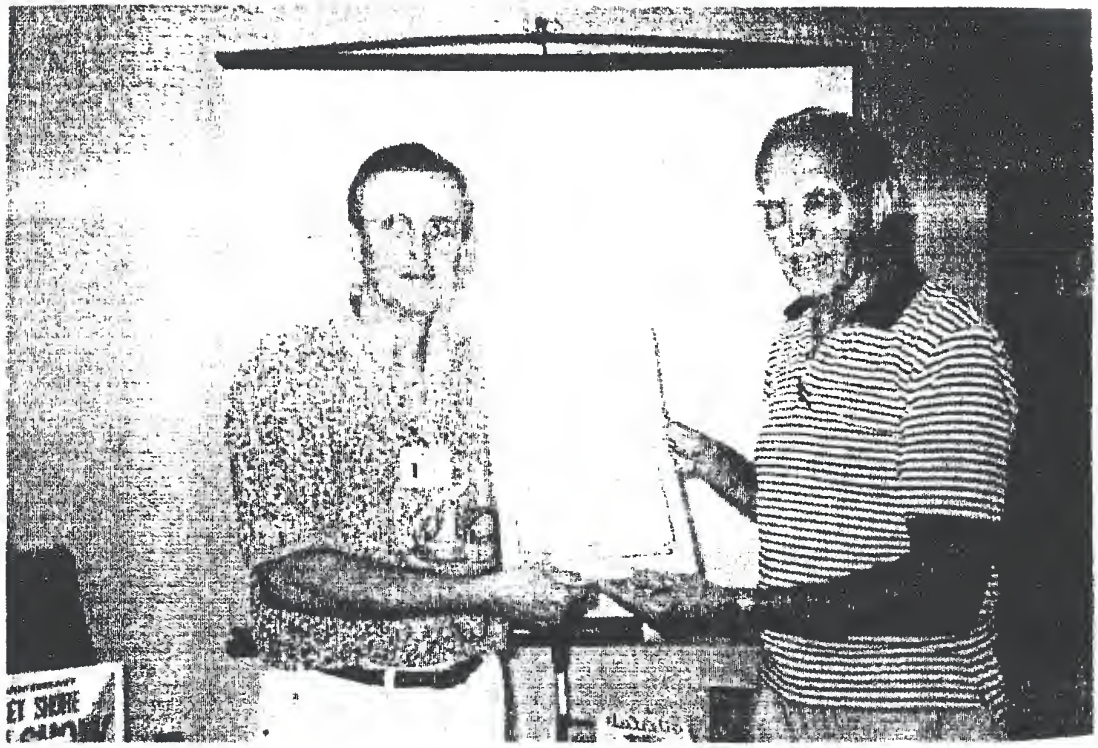
EDITOR'S CORNER

A red checkmark on your address label indicates that you have not renewed your membership for 2002, so this will be the last issue of Jerseyana that you will receive. Please remit your dues payment now to continue receiving Jerseyana.

Thanks to Gary Patterson for his donation of items and overseeing the recent mail-bid sale and to those of you who submitted bids. A total of $46.00 was realized from the sale, a welcome addition to our treasury.

A quantity of the enclosed token was donated by Archie Black. Many thanks Archie!

Al Zaika



NJES President George Skic (l) receives a Certificate of Appreciation and a Club Paperweight for his presentation of Thomas A. Edison Tokens & Medals to the members of the Ocean County Coin Club August 21st. Club President Jim Majoros had the honor.

AN INTERESTING ATLANTIC CITY TOKEN

Several years ago, Sandra Wunder sent me the photo of the token shown below. The Blue Star Lemousine, (error?) Chair was obviously a boardwalk rolling chair operation, but I haven't been able to learn how the token was used, years in use, etc. Please notify me if you have any positive information regarding this token.

BRASS-28MM

A LETTER AND TOKEN PHOTOGRAPH FROM JIM MAJOROS;

Hope you doing well and had happy holidays.

Enclosed is a copy of a token I bid for through NJES and was the high (only?) bidder. It is a token that was used at Olympic Park in Irvington, NJ. I can remember visiting the park in the early fifties and worked with a close friend in the Air Guard for 40 years, who worked at the park as a youngster. He was one of those where someone pays to throw a ball at a target & if they hit it, into the water he goes.

The token, however, is not remembered how & if it was used at any ride or concession. It is octagonal & reads exactly the same on both sides. The name under the word Olympic is Chris Kurtz.

I was happy to get the token as it is a conversation item as well as a piece of New Jersey history as the park went out of business many years ago.

ALUMINUM-25.5MM

EDITORS NOTE: There is a similar token without the ¢ symbol, also a 5¢ token aluminum, round, 22mm.

Growing up in Newark, I spent many summer days at Olympic Park, but don't recall ever seeing any tokens in use there. It's not known whether Chrts. Kurtz was the owner of Olympic park or a concessionaire.

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December 31, 2001

NEW JERSEY EXONUMIA SOCIETY - MEMBERSHIP REPORT
DECEMBER, 2001

There were 44 paid up regular members and 37 life members on the NJES rolls at the end of 2001. Six (6) former members (did not renew in 2001) were dropped from the membership roster for non-payment of dues.

Please renew NOW for 2002 if you haven t yet(Label should read "02". Send your $ 6.00 per year dues, payable to NJES, to:

Al Zaika, PO Box 65, Bellmawr, NJ 08099.

You will BE DROPPED from the mailing list if you do not renew. Your mailing label on THIS Jerseyana should have "02" on it or you are NOT PAID UP!! Please let me or Al Zaika know if you think a mistake has been made. Please renew soon.

Thanks.

Sincerely,

Steve Middleton

N.J.E.S. MAIL BID

ALL PROCEEDS TO BENEFIT THE CLUB, SALE CLOSES 10 DAYS AFTER YOU REC'D YOUR "JERSERYANA". IF YOU WISH TO HELP THE CLUB & DONATE ANY TOKENS, MEDALS ETC; SEND THEM TO GARY PATTERSON, 10 – 4TH ST. MANCHESTER, N.J. 08759. SEND YOUR BIDS TO THE ABOVE ADDRESS OR E-MAIL THEM TO GPTOKENS @ WORLDNET.ATT.NET

LOT#1 PHEASANT MOOR, 1 PECK, J.P. H, (NEW HANOVER, N.J.) (CRANBERRY PICKERS CHECK) BRASS, 29mm

LOT#2 2ND WARD INDEPT. CLUB PAWT. (R.I.), GOOD FOR 10¢ DRINK, PLASTIC.

LOT#3 N.J. STATE FEDERATION OF WOMENS CLUBS 1965, BRASS 26mm, LOOPED

LOT#4 ANCIENT ROUNDHOUSE (R.R. TRAIN) UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, PORT MORRIS, N.J., 1975, BRASS, 38mm

LOT#5 ENCASED CENT, RD, ALUM. 1948¢ BU, ARKO-LEWIS ASSO', PHILADELPHIA

LOT#6 PATHMARK SUPER MARKET SHOPPING CART TOKEN, ALUM.

LOT#7 N.J.E.S. ELONGATED CENTS (3), 1982, 1983, 1990

LOT#8 CARDBOARD TICKET, JOSEPH EVANS Est., 1 BUSHEL SCOOP, (BURLINGTON COUNTY, N.J., BERRY PICKERS CHIT)

LOT#9 M&M MARKET (FOOD STAMPS, PLASTIC) 5,10,25,50¢ (ATCO, N.J.)

LOT#10 IRENE'S ON THE BOARDWALK, ATLANTIC CITY, IRON 28mm

LOT#11 FAIRDALE CANNING CO. BRIDGETON, N.J., 100 TOMATO, BRASS 32mm, (PEELERS CHECK)

LOT#12 HADDON HEIGHTS, N.J. 75TH ANNIV', LOOPED, 25mm, Enamelled.

LOT#13 BELLMAWR, N.J. DOG TAG, 1977

LOT#14 RIDER COLLEGE 100TH ANNIV', 1965, TRENTON, N.J. KEY TAG, BRASS.

LOT#15 SEASIDE HEIGHTS, N.J. 277, BRASS, HOLED, 32mm (BEACH TAG)

LOT#16 TRUMP PLAZA LUCKY COIN, LADY LUCK, ALUM. 38mm

LOT#17 HISTORIC TOWNE OF SMITHVILLE, N.J. VALUE ONE DOLLAR, 35mm

LOT#18 KEY TAG – THE YARDVILLE NATIONAL BANK, N.J. IRON

LOT#19 LIGHTHOUSE TAVERN, GOOD FOR $2.75 DRINK, PLASTIC. 41mm (THIS IS FROM N.J.)

LOT#20 STATE OF N.J. TERCENTENARY 1964, BRONZE 76mm

Wanted: Items related to the old Jersey City Stadium, (AKA) Roosevelt Stadium, and Roosevelt Stadium in North Bergen/Union City, NJ. George Dorsey, 168 E. Spring Valley Ave., Maywood, NJ 07107

Wanted: Bimetallic tokens from any state, NJ tokens, Lords Prayer medals, (13-19mm), Sofspra car wash tokens and Salada Tea baseball coins. (1962). Rocco DiGiacomo, 42 Sunset Dr., Mt. Holly, NJ 08060-1915.

Wanted: Tokens, medals and watch FOBS that advertise the Whitehead & Hoag Co. or any that has a swastika on them. US only, price and write Gary Patterson, 10- 4th St., Manchester, NJ 08759.

Wanted: Encased cents and other coins, engraved coins, pop-outs, scenic love tokens, hobo nickels, potty dollars, just about anything made from coins. Send for my offer or call me at 352-242-6239. Bob Slawsky, PO Box 1624, Minneola, FL 34755.

Obsolete or Broken Banknotes: From all counties in New Jersey, as well as Merchant Scrip, wanted for collection. Send photocopy or description. (Weit or Hexby #) to Tom O'Mara, 55 Rumson Road, Rumson, NJ 07760.

Dog License Tags: If you don't read ***PAW PRINTS***, you don't know dog license tags. Complimentary copy on request. Bill Bone, Editor, 928 S.R. 2206, Clinton, KY 42031.

Ocean County: Collecting and Researching all Ocean County obsolete and broken banknotes and merchant scrip. Want anything from Toms River 1850 to 1960, also notes issued in Bricksburg 1840's, Manchester 1840's....BUY - SELL - TRADE. Bob Mitchell, 629 Monmouth Way, Winter Park, FL 32792.

George Washington Inaugural Button Copies. Wanted, especially the different 1974 Liberty Village (Flemington NJ) copies, but others too, Write with description and price to F. Steimle, 2200 Appleby Drive, Wanamassa, NJ 07712-4636.

Hard Rock Café Pins Wanted. Will trade my Jersey Tokens & Medals and/or Playboy roulette chips for Hard Rock...Archie Black, PO Box 63, Brick, NJ 08723.

Wanted: Tickets, Transfers, Photographs, and any other items related to streetcars or busses in Scranton, Pa. Charles Wrobleski, 206 Green Street, Clarks Green, PA 18411.

New Jersey Amusement Token Listing. 76-page listing available for $7.00 postpaid from Bob Schopp, 16 Sanbert Circle, Hamilton Square, NJ 08690.

Wanted: Both BPOE and IBPOEW tokens and medals. Write first describing and pricing your items. J.M. Boswell, PO Box 428, Gambrills, MD 21054.

Great "Lucy the Elephant": NJ Token for Sale. Marked "JohnGeatzen/10/MargateCity//Elephant/10/Hotel," Aluminum, BU, $25. Rocco DiGiacomo, 42 Sunset Drive, Mt. Holly, NJ 08060.

Wanted: Edison collector seeks Thomas Edison memorabilia, esp. medals, tokens, and souvenirs. Please write with full description and price. Also interested in first and second-hand accounts of Mr. Edison and his legend. George Skic E-Mail: mercerhill@peoplepc.com.

For Sale: 900 NJ Food Stamp Tokens, mostly different, arranged in complete sets 1¢, 5¢, 10¢, 25¢, 50¢, by location within town in binder. Best Offer by 12/15/01. Dave Wilson (732) 365-0207, P.O.B. 567, Jackson, NJ 08627.

Lotz Bros. Dairy, Inc.: Clifton, NJ Milkcap (unused) $1.00 & SASE. First National Bank of Paterson, Clifton-Parker Ave. office, 1940's-50's. Deposit receipt $1.00 & SASE. Steven Kawalec, PO Box 4281, Clifton, NJ 07012.

The United New Jersey Railroad and Canal Co. $1,000 bond issued and cancelled, with vignette of trains running alongside of canal and overhead power lines. Has 12 coupons remaining - $6.00 postpaid. Al Zaika, PO Box 65, Bellmawr, NJ 08031-0065.

For Sale: Individuals interested in the "31 Wooden Dollars" wooden flat, celebrating the 31st Anniversary Banquet of the Ocean County Coin Club in NJ can obtain one by sending $1 and a SASE to: O.C.C.C., 65 – 16th St., Toms River, NJ 08753. The collectible reflects the club logo, a Graf Zeppelin and a Shrimp Boat on the reverse, based on the banquet being held at the Shrimp Box in Point Pleasant Beach, NJ.

Thanks to all who sold or swapped WWI Service medals issued by states, counties, cities or towns with me last year. Lou Small, Box 19262-NJ, Jacksonville, FL 32245.

NJES Elongated Cents For Sale

Three different issues, GSNA Convention, 1982; 3rd NJES Meeting, 1983, and NJES, 10th Anniversary, 1990. All 3 for $2.00 and SASE. Make checks payable to NJES and mail to NJES, PO Box 65, Bellmawr, NJ 08099-0065.

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